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## News Notes Taken From Other Papers

### News from Entire County in Condensed Form

Ira Blackwell, former member of the Lake county sponge squad pleaded guilty to the charge of impersonating an officer when he was arraigned before Judge Earl D. Reynolds of Rockford at Woodstock last week.

Prosecutor William L. Pierce of Belvidere, who was representing the state in the case, announced that in view of the plea of guilty he would recommend a sentence of four months in jail with credit to be given for the time already spent. As Blackwell has been in the McHenry county jail for 118 days awaiting trial, this sentence means that he will be free immediately.

Blackwell, however, will have to pay the costs of the proceedings.

Prosecutor Pierce when asked by the court for a statement replied that prosecution of Blackwell depended to a large extent on the testimony of A. J. Grom, beer runner, who had told a story that implicated the Waukegan man. Later Grom repudiated his first testimony and declared that Blackwell was innocent. This made it doubtful if Blackwell could be convicted should the case be tried.

Judge Reynolds imposed the sentence recommended by the state, after admonishing Blackwell to reform and not get into trouble again.

Upon paying the costs of the case, Blackwell can get his freedom. There is another indictment against him on a charge of transporting liquor which was allowed to remain on the call. This was continued and the bond reduced to \$1000 which Blackwell signed himself.

Blackwell's case has attracted considerable attention, both in Lake county as well as McHenry county. After leaving the local sponge squad, Blackwell went to McHenry county where he became active in the apprehension of beer runners. He first got into trouble when he was charged with accepting bribes from beer runners for free passage through McHenry county.

Later it developed that Blackwell had not been a duly assigned officer of McHenry county and could not be prosecuted on the charge of bribery. Then the indictment of impersonating an officer was returned against him by the McHenry county grand jury.

Blackwell had signified his intention of fighting the case to the finish and had retained Attorney Everett J. Rizzo of Chicago to represent him. His plea of guilty, therefore, came as a surprise.

Suit for divorce has been brought in Circuit court by Mrs. Fannie A. Waters of Grayslake through Attorney E. V. Orvis against Louis D. Waters. The woman charges that her husband had had relations with an Eva Rako of Elgin on Sept. 21. She also claims he is an habitual drunkard.

The last report from the Lake County League states that the Lighting Essay Contest has narrowed down to a chosen few. The judges have had a difficult job. The primers, which were turned in, surpassed all expectations as to originality, correctness and neatness.

Excellent handwriting proved that contestants in Antioch and vicinity are among the best writers in the country. Sound logic also showed that they understood the fundamentals of good lighting. In many instances the primers showed excellent artistic judgement—everything was tastefully planned and executed. Above all, shaded lamps in the majority of the primers showed that the contestant realized the value of eliminating the glare from the ordinary lamp.

Just a few more days and the prizes, with the exception of the national prizes, will be awarded. These prizes will be given the winners in the contest just before Christmas—a Christmas present as the result of their ingenuity.

## 20 Years Ago in Antioch

Thursday, December 8, 1904

Murrie Horton of Chetok, Wis was here over Sunday.

J. J. Morley was a Chicago passenger Monday morning.

Bert Bown has rented the A. N. Tiffany farm and moved to that place last week.

A. N. Tiffany has moved his family into the Dr. Karr house which he recently purchased.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Wilton and Mr. Charles Blunt were Chicago visitors Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Strahan returned home on Monday evening after spending a few days in Chicago.

Charley and Harry Smith who have been confined to their home for some time with typhoid fever are again able to be out.

The George Webb family left Tuesday of this week for Olustee, Oklahoma, where they will spend the winter.

Dr. Warriner and mother will occupy the Webb house during the absence of the family.

Arthur Wilton and wife of Lake Villa were Chicago passengers on Monday.

Miss Deborah Cribb of Antioch visited her brother at Lake Villa last week.

Pat Daniels of Lake Villa had the misfortune to be laid up with a sprained ankle.

A little daughter was born Dec. 3, to Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Cannon of Millburn.

Mr. and Mrs. John M. Strang left Friday for Havana to stay a short time and later they go to Florida for the winter.

Mrs. Charles Sibley of Antioch attended the Ladies Aid society held at Mrs. Patrick's at Trevor Thursday.

BRUNE WANTED TO GET INTO FOX LAKE JAIL

—AND HE DID

All was excitement in Fox Lake when the fire bell in the old town tower tolled furiously.

Farmers dropped their implements, storekeepers their aprons and several hundred villagers rushed to the defense of the town, led by the constable, J. D. Riggs. And they found, leaning calmly against the fire station Prohibition Agent Conrad A. Brune, with a prisoner, John Scraetta.

"The jail was closed and I couldn't find the constable," he chuckled. "So I rang for him."

He was thrown into the hoose-gow along with his prisoner by the irate citizenry. Later, when they cooled down, he was released.

MRS. SARAH INGALLS PASSED AWAY AT THE HOME OF HER SISTER HERE

On Wednesday evening of last week occurred the death of Miss Sarah Ingalls at the home of her sister, Mrs. Alice Haynes after being confined to the home where she had practically been an invalid for several years past but had been confined to her bed for about two weeks before her death.

Miss Sarah Ingalls was born in the city of Boston, Mass., April 28, 1846, and came to Antioch with her parents when she was a small child and has made her home in this vicinity during her entire life.

She leaves to mourn her loss her sister with whom she lived, a niece, Mrs. Al Norman, besides a large number of relatives and friends.

The funeral services were held at the home on Saturday afternoon at 1:30 with Rev. E. Lester Stanton in charge. Burial was in the Antioch Hillside cemetery.

BEULAH DROM MAKES GIRLS VARSITY HOCKEY TEAM AT UNIVERSITY OF ILLINOIS

Miss Beulah Drom of Antioch has been selected as left wing on the varsity hockey team at the University of Illinois because of her speed, skillful stickwork, and good sportsmanship. Last year Beulah made second varsity but due to much diligent practice, she succeeded this year in playing with the Junior firsts and in being selected above all others as left wing on the varsity team. During the hockey season she coached the aspiring girl athletes of the freshmen class in technic and stickwork. Miss Drom also played on the Junior team which defeated the Sophomores, 2 to 0.

## Lake Villa Praises Antioch Fire Department for Allendale Work

VILLAGE OF LAKE VILLA  
Lake Villa, Illinois

December 2, 1924

Antioch Volunteer Fire Department  
Antioch, Illinois.  
Gentlemen:

Enclosed please find our check for twenty-five (\$25.00) together with our many thanks in appreciation of your great work at the Allendale fire in Lake Villa on December 1st.

We think your great work at fires in this town has inspired Lake Villa to a Volunteer Fire Department in the near future.

Thanking you again, we are

Respectfully yours,

Village of Lake Villa

O. W. REINEBACH, Clerk

ALLENDAL FARM  
Lake Villa, Illinois

December 8, 1924

The Antioch News,  
Antioch, Illinois.  
Gentlemen:—

Will you please accept for the Antioch Fire Department the enclosed check of \$50.00 in appreciation of the services rendered last Monday? We are very grateful to the members of the company who came to our assistance, and I wish the sum herein enclosed were triple the amount.

Very truly yours,

E. L. BRADLEY.

## Antioch Fire Department Accepts Checks from Allendale School and Lake Villa Town Officials—Donate \$50.00 to Allendale Christmas Fund

The Volunteer Fire department at the regular meeting Tuesday night heard among other reports, the letter of appreciation from Captain Edward L. Bradley of Allendale with a check for \$50.00 enclosed for their work at the recent fire, and was accepted. The boys after discussing the favors already received from the Allendale farm boys on different occasions, voted to donate \$50.00 towards the Christmas fund for the boys of Allendale school. The letter of thanks from the Village of Lake Villa and the check for \$25.00 was reported and accepted. A letter of thanks will be forwarded.

As an aftermath of the fire at Allendale last week comes the story of the quick work on the part of Frank Merrill, local telephone "trouble shooter" who more than any one else probably saved the destruction of the newly completed structure of the Capt. Bradley home. Merrill was on his way to Fox Lake, when he saw the smoke of the fire. He immediately proceeded to it and succeeded in saving one of the telephone sets in the burning building. It was shortly after this that the Antioch fire department found themselves unable to cope with the flames through lack of help. As the nearest phone was more than a mile away, Merrill was appealed to to get a call through to Antioch for help.

As the wires at Allendale are all under ground Merrill made his way to the nearest approach, in the engine room on the farm and there out in on the service. It is admitted by the fire men that another ten minutes delay would have in all probability meant the loss of the new structure. Capt. Bradley reports that telephone service at the school was installed early the next morning.

MRS. G. W. JENSEN SECURES 103 RED CROSS MEMBERS

A great deal of credit is due to Mrs. G. W. Jensen of Antioch for her work in securing 103 members to the Red Cross in the recent drive. Mrs. Jensen voluntarily took on the work for the Woman's Club.

## Our Invitations to the Movies

Each Wednesday evening The Antioch News will present tickets to the names announced below. Clip the notice and present it at the theatre stated. It will be your admission ticket.

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 17

The Antioch News invites as its guests, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Biers to witness Wednesday's presentation of "Leave It To Jerry" at the Crystal theatre.

The Antioch News invites as its guests, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Selter to witness Wednesday's presentation of "Wordly Goods" at the Antioch theatre.

## Hebron Here Friday for First Game

With four of last year's regulars back on the job, the Antioch high school basketball squad is preparing for the best team in years. Capt. Simpson, Hook, Willett and Paddock of last season's five gives the coaches an excellent foundation to build a winning team.

Among the new material available are Schwenk and Burgess, former Allendale boys who are likely prospects and Nixon, a new lad from Oak Park, is showing lots of pep and fight. Others who are trying hard to land regular positions are Palmer, Lynch, Shunneson, C. Alvers, Kennedy, Forbrich, R. Alvers, Hughes and Bernolfo. Two good men, Wilson and Hattendorf, will be eligible when the second semester starts.

The schedule this season is the best that Antioch has ever had, starting tomorrow (Friday night), with Hebron playing at Antioch, the schedule is as follows:

Dec. 12—Hebron at Antioch.  
Dec. 19—Antioch at Wauconda.  
Dec. 26—Alumni at Antioch.  
Jan. 2—Open.  
Jan. 9—Warren at Antioch.  
Jan. 16—Antioch at Richmond.  
Jan. 17—Allendale at Antioch.  
Jan. 23—Wauconda at Antioch.  
Jan. 24—Allendale at Allendale.  
Jan. 30—Antioch at Hebron.  
Feb. 6—Antioch at Barrington.  
Feb. 11—Libertyville at Antioch.  
Feb. 14—Richmond at Antioch.  
Feb. 20—Barrington at Antioch.  
Feb. 25—Antioch at Libertyville.  
Feb. 27—Antioch at Gurnee.  
March 6—Tournament.

\*Two games—first and second teams.

## BOWLERS START LEAGUES HERE; LADIES BOWL

A great deal of interest is being aroused over bowling in town and one league has already started its schedule. The Antioch Bowling League will hold their games every Tuesday night.

### ANTIOCH BOWLING LEAGUE

BOYS  
B. Fields .....153 133 185— 481  
W. Belter .....106 170 144— 420  
V. Felter .....133 159 181— 473  
J. Panowsky .....157 143 146— 446  
R. Fields .....177 173 159— 509  
Totals .....726 778 815—2,319

CHILI FIVE  
F. Johnson .....137 180 149— 466  
H. Voss .....165 183 131— 479  
L. Powles .....123 145 123— 391  
L. Middendorf .....138 160 165— 463  
M. Zimmerman .....205 169 167— 541  
Totals .....768 837 735—2,340

LUCKY FIVE  
A. Rosenfeldt .....162 188 158— 508  
E. Vos .....140 163 174— 477  
E. Stiekel .....124 148 124— 396  
O. Mathisen .....172 145 141— 458  
A. Grummitt .....155 213 166— 534  
Totals .....753 857 753—2,373

WHATOS  
G. Keulman .....162 147 134— 443  
B. Morley .....169 146 164— 479  
B. Story .....164 157 184— 505  
C. Veigel .....137 119 132— 393  
Geo. Miller .....166 181 160— 507  
Totals .....789 750 779—2,318

This coming Friday four new teams will start in another league. Bowlers wishing to participate will be on hand at 7:30 p. m.

The Ladies Bowling club met at Hunt's last Monday afternoon. Teams were organized. About 27 women attended the meeting. Mrs. J. E. Brook turned in the highest score. The ladies will meet again next Wednesday afternoon, Dec. 17, at 1:30 p. m.

### TO HOLD COCKEREL SALE

The annual Cockerel sale held by the Farm Bureau will take place Dec. 20th at Libertyville. Dressed poultry, geese and turkeys will be auctioned off. Walter Chinn will be the auctioneer.

## Crunden Talks Telephone to Business Men

### Explains Progress of Telephone from Infancy—Is Well Received

Speaking before the Antioch Business club dinner, on last Monday, Mr. H. F. Crunden, Special Agent of the Illinois Bell Telephone company, built up the telephone system from its early inception up to present day service.

Mr. Crunden, in the course of his talk said that 24 hours a day and every day, the Public Service companies care for the needs of their patrons. This service whether it be Electric light, power, electric traction gas, telephone or telegraph, is so regular, so constant and so quietly accomplished, by pushing a button for heat or light, turning on a water faucet or lifting a telephone receiver that we have learned to expect it as a matter of course and can not realize the rapid growth of these Utilities, the amounts of new money required for extensions and additions and also the actual operation.

Forty-nine years ago, Professor Alexander Graham Bell made the discovery of the principle of the first telephone, at which time, many were skeptical as to its usefulness.

The system in Antioch during the last 20 years has grown to one of nearly 500 stations. The first telephone used in Chicago was in 1877. The Illinois Bell now operates 1,035,490 telephones in Illinois. In 1878 there was one telephone to every 1,344 of the population, compared with one to every 4 of the population today.

During 1923, the Company spent more than \$18,000,000 for new telephone plant. During the next 5 years over \$100,000,000 of fresh capital for additional facilities will be required. This vast sum of money is obtained in large measure from thousands of thrifty persons who invest their savings in the stocks and bonds of the Utility, and it would be impossible to finance the Corporation on any other basis.

More than 400,000 people in all walks of life, own the stocks and bonds represented in a property worth 2½ billion dollars. Employees in our Company, during the last 9 years, have invested over \$7,000,000 of their savings in the stock of the Utility.

Mr. Crunden then built up the system, illustrating his talk with charts and slides.

In conclusion every one was invited either singly or in a group, to visit the Exchange in Antioch, and have the whole system thoroughly explained, as well as methods of conducting the business.

Mr. C. L. Ford, district manager, was present and also Mr. A. H. Andrews, who is Commercial manager in charge of Antioch.

Mr. Abt called on Mr. Ford for a few words and he expressed his appreciation of the opportunity of presenting the intricacies of the telephone service and saw a great future for Antioch.

Mr. Andrews was called on and gave us some very startling facts regarding Antioch's phone problems. One point that Mr. Andrews brought out that was very impressive was the number of calls handled at our local station in comparison with other communities with a similar size switch board. Mr. Andrews stated on August 4th comparative figures showed that Antioch station handled phone calls at the rate of 4½ a minute and the next nearest station averaged only 1½. This is for the regular peg and tabulating system for a period of 24 hours, a real remarkable record.

Mr. Andrews said that Antioch now has 468 stations, and that about \$25,000.00 had been spent during this past year in improvements for local and toll service. These improvements took in the erection of cables and the removing of extensive aerial wires.

After the speaking Mr. Abt called for a business session as the next regular meeting would fall just before Christmas and it was thought best to postpone it. The club voted to place Christmas trees in the flag holes for the holidays.

A communication from the Women's club, asking for cooperation on the Christmas tree was responded too.

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## SALEM

A number of Salem people attended the Masonic and Eastern Star dance and oyster supper given at Bristol on Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Griffin announce the arrival of a son at their home on Dec. 7.

Mrs. Herman Schonschek and Mrs. Wm. Gallart were Antioch shoppers Saturday.

Cameron Van Wie left Saturday to resume his work in Chicago after several days illness at the home of his aunt Mrs. R. L. Cundy.

Chas. Curtiss and Louis Gandt attended the National Fat Stock show in Chicago last week, and also called at Aurora, Ill.

Peter Olson and G. E. Thomas were in Chicago on business Monday.

Mrs. Clara Hartnell has closed her home at Brass Ball and will spend the winter months with her daughter, Mrs. Wm. Cook.

Wm. Cull has recently returned from an auto trip to Ann Arbor, Mich. where he visited his niece, Mrs. Lucille Cull Menefee.

Friends and relatives here have been notified of the death of Mrs. Emma Minnis, widow of the late Hugh Minnis on Dec. 3, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Aleck Clark, at Penfield, Ill. Deceased was a pioneer of this village and was eighty years of age. She had been in poor health for a number of months, and death was not unexpected. Funeral services were conducted at the old homestead near Brass Ball on Wednesday at one o'clock.

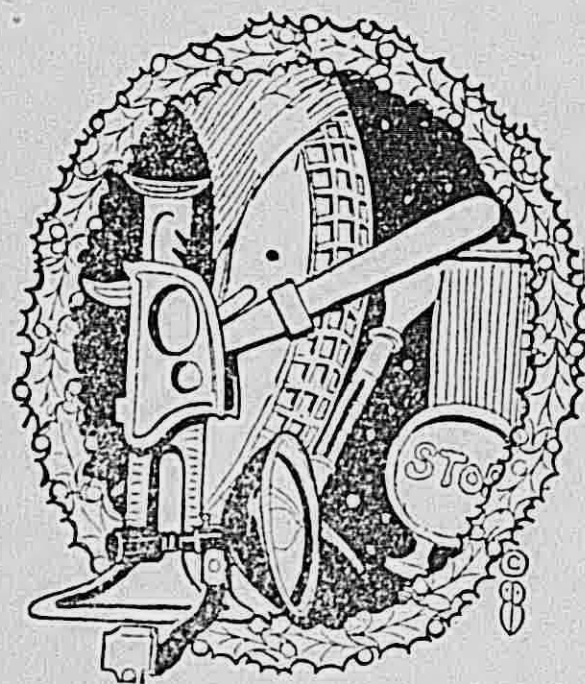
Arthur Stew and family now occupy their farm house on the outskirts of the village.

The will of L. E. Tewes of Waukegan, well known ice dealer and lover of horses, was admitted to probate in the court of Judge Martin C. Decker Monday morning. The petition for the probate of the will stated that the estate consists of personal property valued at about \$75,000 and the real estate of the same value.

Mrs. Martin Tewes, the widow, was named the sole beneficiary. She was also given letters testamentary. The bond was fixed at \$150,000.00.

## IN REVERSE

"I want a loaf of bread, please."  
"You are a penny short. The price has gone up since yesterday."  
"Then give me one of yesterday's loaves."



Please the Motorist With—

## Auto Accessories

If you want to impress the motorist, just give him something that will add to his traveling pleasure. Such Auto Accessories as spotlights, stop lights, tools—yes, even new tires—will make him happy.

Many Christmas Specials here for you to pick from. Like—

Heaters Cigar Lighters  
Spotlights Motor Meters  
Stop Lights Dash Lights  
and Windshield Wipers

## MAIN GARAGE

ANTIOCH, ILL.

Phone 17 when you want service

## HERB VOS ENTERTAINS

## LUMBER MAN HERE

Last Friday night Herb Vos entertained a group of Lumbermen from Chicago and nearby towns. After a dinner at Volgel's hotel, the lumbermen went to Hunt's Recreation Park where bowling was enjoyed until a late hour. Those attending and bowling with their scores were as follows:

Fred Fellies	180	179	235	504
Ed. Blum	156	141	211	508
Joe Brieger	123	111	141	375
Herb Vos	113	129	145	387
Clyde Fields	166	163	169	503

Rush Hussey	171	131	165	467
B. Spring	160	113	177	450
Tom Meade	151	156	159	496
A. W. Woeste	120	156	177	483
Ervin Hook	144	135	156	435

W. Brandt	140	113	176	428
Sid Sennett	156	166	119	441
Tegmen	224	159	171	554
Ed. Vos	170	169	158	497
H. Bidsford	201	210	185	596

## HICKORY NEWS

Paul Protine visited the Fat Stock show in Chicago Friday and Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. David Pullen and son Harold visited with Mr. and Mrs. Holtdorf at Wilmot Sunday.

Emma Pullen spent Sunday with Mrs. Swenson.

Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Savage and Mr. Mort Savage visited with Mr. and Mrs. Spencer Wells Sunday.

David Nevelier of Spring Grove called on relatives here Sunday.

The Hickory school are preparing a Christmas program.

L. E. Savage of Evanston spent last Friday and Saturday with A. T. Savage.

## CRUNDEN TALKS TELEPHONE TO BUSINESS MEN

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with a \$39 donation and the selection of a committee consisting of G. W. Jensen, Lee Middendorf and John Woodhead to assist in Woman's club in this event.

The dinner was attended by forty members and a wonderful fried chicken dinner was enjoyed. A rising vote of thanks was given Mr. and Mrs. Ross for their splendid treat.

## SELLING TALK

Arden Wooser (a commercial traveler)—"My love for you, Winnie darling, surpasses anything else that can be offered in that particular line."

## SPECIAL ASSESSMENT NOTICE

Notice is hereby given to all persons interested, that the President and Board of Trustees of the Village of Antioch, County of Lake and State of Illinois, having ordered that a local improvement, consisting of a connected system of water supply pipe, together with fire hydrants, shut off valves and all other necessary adjuncts in connection, complete, for the purpose of fire protection and the use of the said inhabitants of said Village, in, along, under and upon First Street and Parkway Avenue, in Craig's Subdivision, in said Village, to be constructed, and providing for the making of said improvement by special assessment and the issuing of improvement bonds therefor, the ordinance for the same being on file in the office of the Village Clerk and having applied to the County Court of the County of Lake and State of Illinois for an assessment of the cost of said improvement according to benefits and assessment therefor having been made and returned to said court, final hearing thereon will be had on the 27th day of December, A. D. 1924, or as soon thereafter as the business of the court will permit. All persons desiring may file objections in said court before said day and may appear on the hearing and make their defense.

Said assessment is divided into ten installments and said assessment bears interest at the rate of six per cent per annum.

Dated this 10th day of December, A. D. 1924.

HAROLD GELSTRUP  
Person appointed to make said assessment.

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## TRUSTFUL

Tommy (at tobacconist's)—"Please father wants to know if it's true there's a tobacco trust?"  
Proprietor—"Quite true."  
Tommy—"Well, father would like to be trusted for two ounces, please."

TRY A NEWS WANT AD

## Methodist Episcopal Church News

Church School ..... 9:45 a. m.  
Service of Worship ..... 10:45 a. m.  
Service of Worship ..... 7:30 p. m.

## CALENDAR

Friday, Dec. 12th, at the church:  
6:30 p. m.—Teacher Training class.  
7:30 p. m.—Choir.

Sunday, Dec. 14.  
9:45 a. m.—Church School.  
10:45 a. m.—Service of Worship.  
5:30 p. m.—Orchestra rehearsal.  
6:45—Young People's Hour.

7:30 p. m.—Worship Service. Subject of sermon "The Romance of a Hyphen."

## St. Ignatius' Church News

Third Sunday in Advent  
Church School ..... 9:45 a. m.  
Matins and Sermon ..... 11:00 a. m.  
The Christmas Fair, Saturday afternoon and evening.

## CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SOCIETY

Odd Fellows Hall, Antioch, Ill.  
Sunday morning service ..... 11 a. m.  
Wednesday evening service ..... 8 p. m.  
Subject Sunday: "God the Preserver of Man."

## "DAIRY SIRE SPECIAL" TOURS NEBRASKA WITH SUCCESS

Crowds estimated at over 65,000 witnessed the educational program and exhibits of the dairy sire special train which recently visited 31 towns in Nebraska.

One of the novel attractions of the exhibit was a "mystery" cow. Visitors were given an opportunity to guess how much milk the displayed cow had given in one year. A milk scale was awarded to the winner of the guessing contest in each town.

A comparison of the characteristics of a scrub and purebred bull as explained by one of the demonstrators was another popular feature. Three exhibits showed the progeny of (1) a scrub bull and scrub cows, (2) a purebred sire and scrub cows, and (3) a purebred sire and purebred cows.

Among those who delivered short, instructive talks at the train were editors, business men, agricultural extension workers, a prominent banker, and the agricultural agent of the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy Railway Co., over whose lines the train was run.

Dr. A. L. Faunce, of the Bureau of Animal Industry, represented the department in cooperating with the sponsors of the train in their program at Franklin, Neb. In support of the nation-wide "better sires—better stock" campaign he had charge of a booth where the public obtained bulletins, posters and other educational matter.

A special feature of the program at Franklin, Neb., was the speech of a local farmer. He told his plans for the building up of a herd of high-grade cows with the aid of the purebred bull which he had received from those in charge of the train in exchange for a scrub bull.

Try a News Want Ad

## Choice Poultry

Every woman hopes to make her Christmas dinner the "feasts of feasts!" That means, first of all, selecting the choicest poultry.

One of our select, fresh, corn-fed Turkeys. And, stuffed with chestnuts or some other desired filling and roasted to a crisp brownness—just wait and see how you and the family and your guests will simply delight in its tastiness.

Perhaps you would prefer a pair of tender Chickens, a Duck or Goose. Whatever your choice, we're ready to fill your poultry order now.

## O. E. HACHMEISTER

Phone Antioch 103-M

## WANT ADS

Want Ads may be inserted in this column at a minimum rate of 25c. to and including 4 lines. Each additional line 5c. Want Ads received by telephone. Call Antioch 43, or Farmers Line.

FOR SALE—German imported police dog, female, A. K. C.; color black and tan. Call Sundays, Joe Koelstra, Lake Villa; phone 103-W. 13w3

FOR SALE—A quantity of alfalfa and timothy hay in stack on the Turner farm at Antioch. J. W. Turner, Grayslake, Ill. 14w2

FOR SALE—35 white oak trees standing, 2 miles east of Pikeville. \$25.00. 4 old geese, 1 old gander also some full blood Plymouth Rock pullets, \$1.35 a piece. Victor Glud, Antioch, 1½ mile north of Millburn. 14-2

"Cash paid for false teeth, dental gold, platinum and discarded jewelry. Hoks Smelting & Refining Company, Otsego, Mich." Dec 25

FOR SALE—6-burner Red Star gasoline stove, nearly new. Inquire of Less Crandall, Antioch. 15tf

SHORTHORN CATTLE—Males and females, from good milking dams, delivered for \$100 and \$125. Chester White fall pigs and breeding stock. Dark S. C. Rhode Island Red roosters \$2.00. Rhodesdale Farms, Kansasville, Wis., 11 miles north of Antioch, just north of Burlington-Kenosha road. 15w1

WANTED—A Good young cow, fresh. Inquire of Mrs. P. H. Joyce, Antioch, phone 199. 15w1

FOR SALE—About 100 Plymouth Rock pullets; a bay team, wt. about 2500; 30 tons clover and timothy hay; 3-inch farm wagon; work harness; touring car, in good shape; all must be sold by 18th. L. J. Slocum. 15w1

FOR SALE—Yellow onions at 75 cents per bushel as long as they last. Inquire of Alfred Pedersen, Antioch. 15w1

FOR SALE—Several full blood Lohorn roosters, priced right for quick disposal. Bertha M. Burnett, Lake Villa. 15w2

LOST—Saturday night a buckskin glove either at Antioch depot or on road to Log Cabin at Lake Catherine. Finder return to this office. 15w1

WANTED—Pony buggy or cart and harness for small Shetland pony. Address Henry Atwell, Lake Villa, Ill. Phone 36. 15w1

CANARIES FOR SALE—Siefert Rollers from imported stock; day and night singers, with guarantee. Joe Koelstra, Lake Villa; phone 103-W. 13w3

FOR SALE—Two full blood Duroc boars, 6 months old. John Nielsen, Antioch. 15w2

FOR SALE—4 wheel upright hand pump and suction hose also 2 hose reels. Must sell, no room for storage. See secretary, J. Horan, Antioch Fire department. 15w1

RARE VARIETY  
Any girl can be gay in a classy coupe;  
In a taxi they all can be jolly,  
But the girl worth while is the one that can smile  
When you're taking her home on the trolley.

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# Judith of BLUE LAKE RANCH

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It was a situation by no means new to the four walls of the Jallbird nor to the men concerned. It was a two-man fight, with as yet no call for the four friends of Quinlon to interfere. It would take the split and snarl of a revolver, the flash of flame, the acrid smell of burning powder to switch their sympathetic watching into actual participation. No new situation certainly for Chris Quinlon who took quick stock of the table with its heavy top and screened his body with it, no new situation for Steve, the big bartender who was at the shattered door almost as Bud Lee sent it rocking drunkenly.

Since a fight like this in a small room may end in three seconds and yet remain a fight for men to talk of at street corners for many a day thereafter, it is surely a struggle baffling adequate description. For while you speak of it, it is done; while a clock ticks, two guns may carry hot lead and cut in two threads of life.

Quinlon was down and shooting, with but ten steps or less between him and the man whom he sought to kill; Bud Lee was standing, tall and straight, back to wall, his first bullet ripping into the boards of the table, sending a flying splinter to stick in Quinlon's face, close to a squinting, slitted eye; and as the two guns spoke like one, a third from the open barroom shattered the lamp swinging from the ceiling between Lee and Quinlon. Steve, the bartender, had taken a hand.

The card room was plunged in darkness so thick that Lee's frowning eyes could no longer make out Quinlon's head above the table, so black that to Quinlon's eyes the tall form of Lee against the wall was lost in shadow.

As Steve fired his shot into the lamp, Bud Lee understood just what would be Steve's next play; the bartender had given his friends brief respite from the deadly fire of the Blue Lake man, and now would turn his second shot through the flimsy wall itself on the man standing there. Lee did not hesitate now, but with one leap was across the room, avoiding the table, seeking to come to close quarters with Quinlon and have the thing over and done with. In the bitterness still gnawing at his heart, he told himself again that it would be no calamity to the world if the two men who had insulted Judith Sanford went down together.

Again Steve fired. His bullet ripped into the wall, tearing a hole through the partition where a brief instant ago Lee had stood. The light out in the barroom was extinguished. In the card room it was utterly, impenetrably dark now, only a vague square of lesser darkness telling where was the window through which Shorty had fled.

A red flare of flame from where Quinlon crouched, and Lee stood very still, refusing the temptation to fire back. For Quinlon's bullet had sped wide of the mark, striking the wall a full yard to Lee's left. Quinlon's gun had not found him, would not find him, soon if he stood quite motionless. The light was still to be made. Quinlon's friends would be taking a hand now, Steve had already joined issue. There were six of them against him and with one shot fired from his heavy Colt there were but five left. No shot to be wasted.

A little creaking of a floor board, a vague, misty blur almost at his side, and still Lee saved his fire. Quickly he lifted the big revolver, held welded to a grip of steel, throwing it high above his head and striking downward. There was almost no sound; just the thudding blow as the thick barrel struck a heavy mat of hair, and with no outcry a man went down to lie still. At the same moment the dim square of the window showed a form slipping through; one man was seeking safety from a quarrel not his own. And as he went, there came again a soft thudding blow and Carson's dry voice outside, saying calmly:

"Shorty got away, but you don't pander. Give 'em h—l, Bud. I'm in the play again."

"Two men down," grunted Lee to himself with grim satisfaction. "And old Carson back on the job. Only two to our one now."

The form in the window crumpled and under Carson's quick hands was jerked out. Suddenly it was very still in the little room. Steve did not fire a third time; Quinlon held his fire. For Lee had made no answer and they were taking heavy chances with every shot now, chances of shooting the wrong man. Each of the four watchful men in the narrow apartment breathed softly.

Once more Lee lifted his gun above his head. As he held it thus, he put out his left hand gently, inch by inch, gropingly. Extended full length, it touched nothing. Slowly he moved it in a semi-circle, the gun in his right hand always ready to come crashing

down. His fingers touched the wall, then moving back assured him that no one was within reach. Lifting a foot slowly, he took one cautious step forward, toward the spot where he had last seen Quinlon. Again his arm, circling through the darkness, sought to locate for him one of the men who must be very near him now. Suddenly it brushed a man's shoulder. There was a sharp, muttered exclamation, and again a flare of red flame as this man fired. But he had misjudged Bud Lee's position by a few inches, the bullet cut through Lee's coat, and Lee's clubbed revolver fell unerringly, smashing into the man's forehead. There was a low moan, a revolver clattered to the floor, a body fell heavily.

"A new situation," thought Lee. Three men down before a clock could tick off as many minutes and not a single man shot. It was a place for a man like Charlie Miller with his old pickhandle.

"Bud," called Carson's voice sharply, "are you all right?"

"Yes," answered Lee briefly, and as he answered moved sharply to one side so that his voice might not draw a shot from Quinlon or the other men. There came two spurts of flame, one from each of the corners of the room opposite him, the reports of the two shots reverberating loudly. But this was mere guesswork—shooting at no more definite thing than a man's voice, and Lee having moved swiftly had little fear. And he knew pretty well where those two men were now.

So did Carson, who from without fired in twice through the window. Then again it grew so silent that a clock ticking somewhere out in the barroom was to be heard distinctly, so that again the men guarded their breathing.

Lee thought that he knew where Quinlon was, in the corner at his right close to the rear wall. Not square in the corner, of course, for having fired he was fox enough to shift his position a little. True, no sound had told of such a movement. But Quinlon could be trusted to make no sound at a time like this. Lee, equally silent, again set a slow foot out, moving cautiously toward the spot where his eyes sought Quinlon in the dark.

He was calculating swiftly now: Quinlon had fired twice from the screen of the table just as Steve shot out the light; he had fired again just now, it was a fair bet that at least one of the other shots had been his. That meant that he had fired four times. If Quinlon still carried his old six-shooter he had but two shots at most left to him, for there had been no time which he would risk in reloading.

Lee swept off his hat and tossed it out before him to the spot where he believed Quinlon was and dropped swiftly to his knee as he did so. There was a snarl, Quinlon's evil snarl, and a shot that sped high above his head. His hat had struck Quinlon full in the face. Then Lee again sprang forward, again struck out with his clubbed revolver. The blow missed Quinlon's head but caught him heavily on the shoulder and sent him staggering back against the wall. Lee could hear the bulk of his body crashing against the boards. And again leaping, he struck the second time at Quinlon. This time there was no snarl, but a falling weight and stillness.

There was a sound of a chair violently thrown down, the scuffle of hasty feet and in the door the faint blur of a flying figure seeking refuge in the bar. Lee flung the crippled door shut after the fugitive and then with his left hand struck a match, his revolver ready in his right.

Holding the tiny flame down toward the floor, he made out two prone bodies. One, that of the first man he had struck down, a man whom he knew by name as Lefty Devine, a brawler and boon companion of Quinlon. The other Quinlon himself. Devine lay very still, clearly completely stunned. Quinlon moved a little.

Carson's weather-beaten face peered in at the window.

"Better do the hot foot, Bud," he grunted softly, "while the trail's open. Steve will be mixing in again."

But Lee seemed in no haste now. When the match had burned out, he dropped it and slipped fresh cartridges into his gun. That done, he stooped, gathered up Quinlon's feebly struggling body in his arms and carried it to the window.

"Here," he said coolly to Carson. "Take him through."

Carson obeyed, jerking the now complaining Quinlon out hastily and unceremoniously. Lee followed as Steve threw open the barroom door.

"It's a new one on me, just the same," said Carson dryly as he watched Lee stoop and gather Quin-

lon up in his arms. "After a little clock on the wall, I'm generally traveling on an 'not stopping to pick flowers an' gather souvenirs! You ain't got cannibal blood in you, have you, Bud?"

While Carson was cudgeling his brains for the answer and Steve was making cautious examination of the card room, Lee with his burden in his arms passed through the darkness lying at the rear of the saloon and out into the street. Carson followed to take care of a sortie should Steve and the rest not have had all they wanted for one night. He chuckled, remarking to himself that Bud Lee and Quinlon were the very picture of a young mother and her babe in arms.

Not until they again reached the Golden Spur did Lee's burden completely recover consciousness. Many a man on the street looked wonderingly after them, demanded to know "what was up," and receiving no answer, swung in behind Carson.

In the Golden Spur the arrivals were greeted by a heavy silence. Sandy Weaver forgot to set out the drinks which had just been ordered by three men who, in their turn, forgot that they had ordered. Men at the tables playing cards put down their hands and rose or turned expectantly in their seats.

Lee put Quinlon down on the floor. The man lay there a moment blinking at the lights above him and at the faces around him. At length his eyes came to Lee.

"D—n you," he muttered, trying to rise, and slowly getting to his feet with the aid of a chair. "I'll get you—"

Then Bud Lee gave his brief explanation, cutting Quinlon's ugly snarl in two.

"This is Quinlon's farewell party," he said bluntly. "He is a liar and a crook and an undesirable citizen. I have told him all that before. He took it upon himself to say about town that I am all of those things which he is himself. I have d—n near killed him for it; I am going to give him ten minutes to get out of town. If he doesn't do it, I am going to kill him. And in that ten minutes he is going to find time to eat his words."

"I'll see you in—" began Quinlon, as something of the old bluster came back to him.

"Shut up!" snapped Lee. "Carson, let me have your gun."

Carson, wondering, gave it. Lee dropped it on the floor at Quinlon's foot.

"Pick that gun up and we'll finish what we've begun," he said coolly to Quinlon. "I won't shoot until you've



"One, Two," Said Sandy, Watching the Clock.

got it in your hand and have straightened up. Then I'll kill you. Unless first you admit that you are the contemptible liar every one knows you are, and second, get out of town and stay out. It's up to you, Quinlon."

Knowing Quinlon, the men moved swiftly so that they did not stand behind either him or Lee. Sandy Weaver, shifting a few feet along his bar, shook his head and sighed.

"I'll be both of them," he muttered.

Quinlon turned his head a little, his red-rimmed eyes going from face to face, his tongue moving back and forth between his lips. For an instant his eyes dropped to the gun at his feet, and a little spasmodic contraction of his body showed that he was tempted to take up the weapon. But he hesitated, and again turned to Lee.

"It's up to you," repeated Lee. "If you're not a coward after all, pick it up." Lee's hands were at his sides, his own revolver in his pocket. Quinlon was tempted. The evil lights in his eyes danced like witch-fires. Again he hesitated; but his hesitation was brief. With his whining, ugly laugh he lurched to the bar.

"Gimme a drink, Sandy," he commanded.

"Neither now nor after a while," Sandy told him briefly. "I ain't dirty in my glasses that-a-way."

"There you are," jeered Quinlon, with a sullen sort of defiance. "You swit me over the head while I ain't lookin' an' then bring me in here where they're all your friends. If I drop you I get all mussed up with their bullets. No, thanks."

"For the last time," said Lee, and his low voice was ominous. "I tell you what to do. If you don't do it, I'll kill you just the same. You've got your chance. Count ten seconds, Sandy."

"One," said Sandy, watching the clock on the wall, "two, three, four, five, six, seven—"

"Curse you!" cried Quinlon then, a look of fear at last in his eyes. "I'll get you for this some day, Bud Lee. Now you've got me—"

"Keep on counting, Sandy," commanded Lee.

"Eight," said Sandy, "nine—"

"I lied," snapped Quinlon. "An' I'm leavin' town for a while."

And lurching as he walked, he made his way out of the room, his eyes on the floor, his face a burning red.

"Carson and I are riding back to the ranch as soon as our horses rest up and get some grain," said Lee, his fingers slowly rolling a brown cigarette. "We'll mosey out now, see Quinlon on his way and drop back to make up a little game of draw for a couple of hours. Strike you about right, Billy? And you, Watson? And you, Parker?"

They listened to him, took the cue from him, and allowed what lay between him and Chris Quinlon to lie in silence. But there was not a man there but in his own fashion was saying to himself:

"It's a good beginning. But where's the end going to be?"

## CHAPTER XII

### Burning Memory

As June had slipped by, so did July and August. On Blue Lake ranch life flowed smoothly. Men were too busy with each day's work to sit into the nights prophesying trouble ahead. And in truth it seemed that if Bayne Trevors had ever actively opposed the success of the Sanford venture he had by now accepted the role of inactively forced upon him by circumstance. He was with the Western Lumber company, as director and district superintendent, seemingly giving all his dynamic force to the legitimate affairs of the company.

But there were those who placed no faith in the obvious. Bud Lee kept in touch with Rocky Bend and learned that Quinlon had not come back; that no one knew where he had gone. Carson's man, Shorty, was sought by Emmet Sawyer and his disappearance was like that of a pricked bubble; it seemed that Shorty had no actual physical existence or that, if he had, he had taken it into some other corner of the world. Quinlon's friends had also gone from Rocky Bend, like Quinlon leaving behind them no sign to show where they had gone.

Knowing Quinlon as he did, and having his own conception of the character of Bayne Trevors, Bud Lee said to himself that too great a quiet portended strife to come. If Quinlon was the man to carry in his breast the hate that drove him to the murder of Judith's father, then he was the man to remember the humiliation he had suffered at Lee's hands, to remember and to strike back when the time was ripe.

Judith had heard of the night in Rocky Bend, a lurid and wonderfully distorted account from Mrs. Simpson, who had received it in a letter from her daughter.

"So that was what Bud Lee did after he kissed me!" mused Judith.

She sent immediately for Carson and forced from him the full story. Dismissing Carson, she remained for a long while alone. Only one remark had she made to the cattle foreman, and that a little aside from the issue occupying his mind:

"Keep your weather eye open for what's in the wind," she told him briefly. "Behind Quinlon is Trevors, and the year isn't over yet."

The ranch was stocked to its utmost capacity. Carson had bought another herd of cattle; Lee had added to his string of horses. The dry season was on them, herds were moved higher up the slopes into the fresh pastures. Carson, converted now to the silos, was a man with one idea and that idea ensilage. Again the alfalfa acreage was extended, so that each head of cattle might have its daily auxiliary fodder. Carson now agreed with Judith in the matter of holding back sales for the high prices which would come at the heels of the lean months.

The man Donley, who had brought to the ranch the pigeons carrying cholera, was tried in Rocky Bend. The evidence, though circumstantial, was strong against him, and the prosecution was pushed hard. But it was little surprise to any one at the ranch when the trial resulted in a hung jury. The ablest lawyer in the county had defended Donley, and finally, late in August, secured his acquittal. The man himself did not have ten dollars in the world; the attorney taking his case was a high-priced lawyer. Obviously, to Judith Sanford at least, Bayne Trevors was standing back of every play his hirelings made.

Doc Tripp had the hog cholera in hand. And every day, out with the live stock whose well-being was his responsibility, he worked as he had never worked before, watchful, eager, suspicious.

"If they'll drop cholera down on us out of the blue sky," he snapped, "I'd like to know what they won't try."

For the first few days following the dance Bud Lee had within his soul room but for one emotion: he had held Judith in his arms. He had set his lips on hers. He went hot and cold with the remembrance. Being a man, he made his man-suggestions of the emotions that rankled in her breast. He imagined her contempt of a man who by his strength had forced her lips to wed his; he pictured her scorn, her growing hatred. He told himself that he should go, rid the ranch of his presence, take his departure without a word with her. For,

already, he had fired her into the theory of the perfect woman, lifting her high above himself and above the human world. It was a continued insult for him to remain here.

But, after careful thought, he remembered what Judith had already told him; he was one of the men whom she could trust to do her work for her, one of the men she most needed, a man whom she would need sorely if Bayne Trevors were lying quiet now but to strike harder, unexpectedly, later.

Judith did not dismiss him, as at first he had been sure she would. So he stayed on, remaining away from the ranch headquarters, sleeping when he could in the cabin above the lake, spending his days with his horses, avoiding her but keeping her personality in his soul, her interests in his heart. When the winter had passed when she had made her sales and had the money in hand for the payments upon the mortgages, then he would go. Whereat, no doubt, the high gods smiled.

As time passed, there came about a subtle change in the attitude of the outfit toward Pollock Hampton, whom they had been at the beginning prone to accept as a "city guy." It began to appear that under his lightness there was often a steady purpose; that if he didn't know everything about a ranch, he was learning fast; that in his outspoken admiration of things rough and manly and primal there were certain lasting qualities. Whereas formerly his being thrown from a spirited mount was almost a daily occurrence, now he rode rather well. With tanned face and hard hands, he was, as Carson put it, "growing up."

He came to Judith one day serious-faced, thoughtful-eyed.

"Look here, Judith," he began abruptly, "I'm no outsider just looking on at this game. You're the chief owner and the boss and I'm not kicking at that any longer. Your dad raised you to this sort of thing and you have a way of getting by it. But, on the other hand, I'm part owner and you've got to consider me."

Judith smiled at him.

"What now, Pollock?" she asked.

"You're the boss," he repeated stoutly. "But I've got a right to be next in authority. Under you, you know. Why, by cripes, I go around feeling as if I had to take orders from Carson or Tripp or any other of the foremen!"

"By cripes" is good!" laughed Judith. "Go ahead."

"That's all," he insisted. "You can tell them, when you get a chance, that I am your little old right-hand man. Suppose," he suggested vaguely, "that you left the ranch a day or so. Or even longer, some time. There's got to be some one here who is the head when there is need for it."

Judith mirthfully acquiesced. Hampton's interest was sufficiently heavy for him to be entitled to some consideration. Besides, she had come to experience a liking for the boy and had seen in him the change for the better which his new life was working in him. Further, she meant to make it her business that she did not leave the ranch for a day or so, or an hour or so, when she should be there. Consequently, within a week Pollock Hampton was known humorously from one end to the other of the big ranch as the Foreman-at-Large.

Marcia Langworthy, visiting in southern California, wrote brief, sunny notes to Hampton, intricate letters to Judith. The mystery of Bud Lee of which she had had a glimpse when the artist, Dick Farris, and Lee recognized each other as old friends had piqued her curiosity in a way which allowed that young daughter of Eve no rest until she had made her own investigations. She wrote at length of Lee. How he had been quite the rage, my dear. Oh, tremendously rich, with a great ranch in the South, a wonderful adobe hacienda of the old Spanish days, where, like a young king, he had entertained lavishly. How, believing in his friends, he had lost everything, then had dropped out of the world, content equally to allow that world to believe him soldiering in France or dead in the trenches and to take his wage as a common laborer. Wasn't it too romantic for anything?

In due course, following up her letters, Marcia herself came back to the Blue Lake ranch, Judith's guest now. The major and Mrs. Langworthy were visiting in the East—it seemed that they always visited somewhere—and Marcia would stay at the ranch indefinitely. Hampton drove into Rocky Bend for her and held the girl's breathless admiration all the way home, handling the reins of his young team in a thoroughly reckless, shivery manner.

"Isn't he splendid?" cried Marcia when she slipped away with Judith to her room.

Under the bright approval of Marcia's eyes Hampton flushed with pleasure. Could Mrs. Langworthy have seen them together she would have nudged the major and whispered in his ear.

During the two months after the dance, Bud Lee and Judith had seen virtually nothing of each other. When routine duties or a necessary report brought them for a few minutes into each other's society there was a marked constraint upon them. Never had the man lost the stinging sense of his offense against her; never had Judith condescended to be anything but cool and brief with him. While no open reference was made to what was past, still the memory of it must lie in each heart, and though Lee held his eyes level with hers and drank deep of the warm loveliness of her, he told himself angrily that he was beneath her contempt. The chivalry

within him, so great and essential a part of the man's nature, was a wounded thing, hurt by his own act. The old feeling of camaraderie which had sprung up between them at times was gone now; they could no longer be "partners" as they had been that night in the old cabin.

He told himself curtly that he did not regret that; that now it was inevitable that they should be less than strangers since they could not be more than friends. That the girl was ready to forgive him, that she had never been as harsh with him as he was himself, that there was a golden, delicious possibility that she should feel as he did—so mad an idea had not come to Bud Lee, horse foreman.

A few days after Marcia's arrival there came to the ranch a letter which was addressed:

"Pollock Hampton, Esq.,  
General Manager,  
"Blue Lake Ranch,"

It was from Doan, Rockwell & Haight, big stock buyers of Sacramento, submitting an unsolicited order for a surprisingly large shipment of cattle and horses. The price offered was ridiculously low, even for this season of low figures due to the fact that many overstocked ranches were throwing their beef-cattle and range horses on the market. So low, in fact, that Judith's first surmise when Hampton brought it to her was that the typist taking the company's dictation had made an error.

Judith tossed the note into the waste-basket. Then she retrieved it to frown at it wonderingly, and, finally, to file it. It began by having for her no significance worthy of speculation. It soon began to puzzle her. Finally, it faintly disturbed her.

Here were two points of interest. First: Doan, Rockwell & Haight was the company to which Bayne Trevors, when general manager, had made many a sacrifice sale. Because the Blue Lake had knocked down to them before, did they still count confidently upon continued mismanagement? Surely they must know that the management of the ranch had changed. And this brought her to the second point: How did it come about that they had addressed, not her, but Pollock Hampton? Was this just a trifle?

Long ago Judith had told herself that she must keep her two eyes wide open for seeming trifles. In spite of her, though she scoffed at her "nerves," the girl had the uneasy conviction that this offer had been prompted by



Hampton Came Galloping, Seeking Carson.

Trevors; that Trevors, for purposes of his own, had given instructions that the letter be addressed to Hampton; that this was the first sign of a fresh campaign directed against her from the dark; that trouble was again beginning.

Thoughtfully she smoothed out the letter, impaling it on her file.

Pollock Hampton, Foreman-at-Large, came and went on the ranch, carrying orders, taking always a keen interest in whatever work fell to hand, an interest of a fresh kind, in that it was born of a growing understanding. The men grew to like him; Bud Lee tacitly sought to acquaint him with many ranch matters which would prove of value to him. Carson, however, grown nervous over the new method in stock raising still in its experimental stage, was given to take any suggestion from Hampton in the light of a personal affront.

"D—n him," he growled deep in his throat when Hampton had ridden out with word to shift one of the herds into a fresh pasture, an act on which Carson had already decided, "some day I'll just take him between my thumb an' finger an' annihilate him!"

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## HOUSEHOLD HINTS

**A Shoe Protection**  
This applies particularly to children as it is almost impossible to see that they have rubbers on every time it is necessary.

You will find that by melting some mutton fat together with again as much bees-wax and painting it on the children's shoes while hot, that their shoes are practically waterproof. Especially, with two coats.

**How to Test Canned Goods**  
1. Be sure cap shows line of resin around it; should be the same as seen on seam at side of can.  
2. Press bottom of can. If goods are perfect there will be no rattle to the tin.  
3. Do not use any goods where you can see rust around the cap on the inside head of can.

## COOKING HINTS

**A Pretty Christmas Salad**  
Apples.  
10 cents worth of cinnamon drops.  
½ cup sugar.  
1 cup water.  
Celery.  
Mayonnaise.  
Lettuce.  
Method: Core and peel apples, one to a person. Cook in syrup made of the cinnamon drops, sugar and water; baste and cook only until well colored. Chill. Fill cavity with the chopped celery and nuts. Serve cold on lettuce leaves with mayonnaise.

**Simple Tomato Soup**  
I have previously given a recipe for a real home made tomato soup; but on such big days as Christmas and New Year's a good soup easily made is the main requirement.  
Method: Empty any canned toma-

to soup into a pan; stir tiny pinch of baking soda into this. Use can as the measure, take twice the amount of milk as can holds. This will be a delicious cream soup.

**Stuffed Dates and Salted Nuts**  
Both are toothsome additions to a Christmas Candy Box or a Christmas dinner.

**Method for dates:**  
1. Make a fondant of confectioners' sugar cream, butter and a little vanilla. Remove pit and fill cavity with this fondant.  
2. Remove pit and insert nut meats.  
Methods for Almonds or Pecans:  
If salting almonds always blanch first. Pour any good oil into a frying pan; have it very hot. Pour in nuts—stir constantly until browned. Have a brown paper spread out on a flat surface; pour nuts on this, then salt.

## BAKING HINTS

**Hint for Removing Cake**  
Remove cake onto a piece of oiled paper or tissue paper. If cake sticks to this a little warm water will easily remove paper.

## Sour Milk Cornbread

2 eggs.  
½ cup sugar.  
1 cup sour milk.  
¾ cup butter.  
Pinch salt.  
1 cup corn meal.  
1 cup flour.  
1 teaspoon baking soda.

Method: Beat eggs—add sugar and salt, then corn meal and flour; next dissolve soda in milk, add this to other ingredients, and, last of all, melted butter. Pour in greased pan and bake.

## Rules for Baking Custards

1. Do not beat eggs too light.  
2. Heat milk and add gradually.

3. Custards are much better when strained.  
4. Strain before cooking.  
5. Set in a pan of water while baking.

## TENSE THRILLS IN MISS KENNEDY'S NEW FILM ADVENTURE

Never in all her screen and stage experience has Madge Kennedy, the popular picture star, been called upon to perform so many sensational stunts as she does in her newest production, "Three Miles Out," an adaptation of an original story by John Emerson and Anita Loos. Miss Kennedy as the heroine of the thrilling drama that has as its title indicates, an up-to-date aspect of the rum-running activities just beyond the pale of Volsteadian restrictions.

The picture is colorful, alive with romance, suspense and thrills, and much to the satisfaction of exacting audiences, abounds in unusual comedy climaxes. Miss Kennedy has an admirable role and she injects into that wonderful personality, sprightliness and sweetness of charm that have endeared her to both stage and screen audiences.

In the cast appears Harrison Ford, a big stage and screen favorite, whose recent work in the big picture, "In Little Old New York" (with Marion Davies), and more recently working with Ethel Shannon in "Springtime" and Mare McDermott.

## BIRDS REWARD PROTECTION BY EATING INSECT PESTS

The economic value of birds especially insectivorous birds in farm districts, can not be too strongly emphasized, in the opinion of the Biological Survey of the United States Department of Agriculture. For this reason the bureau is interested not only in the protection of migratory game birds, which is one of its important functions, but also in the conservation of all beneficial bird life.

Hardly an agricultural pest exists but has numerous effective bird enemies. For instance, 75 kinds of birds are known to feed upon the clover weevil, and a like number upon the potato beetle, 36 on the codling moth, 46 on the gipsy moth, 49 on horseflies, 67 on billbugs, 85 on clover root borers, 98 on cutworms, 120 on leaf hoppers, and 168 on wireworms.

Birds benefit the farmer also by eating quantities of weed seeds. It has been estimated that a single species of sparrow in a single state— Iowa—consumed annually 875 tons of weed seeds. Birds do not, of course, especially single out the noxious seeds or an insect pest for food; but, eating indiscriminately and voraciously, the most abundant food is taken first, and this is likely to be the moving caterpillar or adult insect, or the seeds on the plant or on the ground, where they have been carried by the wind. Many species of birds perform another important service to man through their feeding habits, since they act as scavengers. In districts where the disposal of waste is not completely taken care of by community and individual effort birds make a valuable contribution to the public health.

Next to man himself, wantonly using his gun, the worst enemy of farm birds is the domestic cat. Storms also destroy a great many birds by cutting off their food supply. Protection against the elements can not often be provided for birds except where refuges or sanctuaries are maintained for them, but a protective public sentiment, supported by effective laws, will lessen the damage done by man and domestic animals. Birds may be still further encouraged and increased by the provision of food trees, such as the mulberry, which will serve the double purpose of attracting them away from cherry or other fruit trees and supplying them with suitable food.

Doorkeeper of movie theater—So you want to see a boy inside, eh? Who is it?  
Boy (confidentially)—Me!

## INGLESIDE

Several members of the Happy Inn and Marshfield Gun club spent the week end hunting on Fox Lake.

Two cars skidded off the concrete and collided near the John Walsh home Saturday. No one was seriously injured.

Mrs. O. Zweng entertained Mr. and Mrs. E. Busch and friends of Chicago Sunday evening.

Mrs. Stowell was suddenly taken ill at the bazaar Saturday and had to be carried out and taken home. She is recovering slowly.

Miss Willett attended the morning session of the teachers meeting at Libertyville Saturday.

Mrs. Rose Newton was a Waukegan passenger Friday.

Mrs. J. E. Lane has been ill for the past week.

Mrs. Wm. Stratton was confined to her bed with a cold Friday and Saturday.

The Kenosha photographer collected for the pictures Monday. The schools commission was about \$3.25.

Wm. Drecoll attended the stock show in Chicago Thursday.

Frank Stanton of Long Lake was in Waukegan last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Lane were in Chicago the latter part of the week where Mrs. Lane was attended by her physician.

The Camp Fire girls held a meeting at the home of Mrs. Wm. Stratton Friday evening. Visitors were invited to bring a basket supper and later they were entertained by a nice program by the girls. Miss Baxter of Oak Park instructed the girls and gave an interesting address to the entire assemblage. A pleasant evening was spent by all present.

Mr. Wm. Newton returned to his home Friday after a trip south. He brought the 5 and 6 grade some sugar cane because they were studying about it.

Many friends in Ingleside received cards and letters from Amelia Hladovec this week. She went to West Palm Beach on the fastest train of its kind this season. She said that everybody along the route was out to see the new train pass by.

The entire reading circle set of books arrived at Gavin Monday. All are eager to be the first to get them.

Mrs. John Walsh spent several days in McHenry with relatives last week.

Frank and Ray Stanton, Roy Hutchinson and friends were Antioch callers Sunday.

Mrs. Henry Stieg was a Chicago passenger last week.

Miss Helen Drecoll was home from Elmhurst for the week end.

Mrs. Banks spent a pleasant afternoon at the home of Mrs. C. Lutz this week.

Mrs. G. Kay visited her mother Mrs. D. Alexander this week.

The Gavin P. T. A. bazaar though not so large was a huge success Saturday. Everything was sold out and the total receipts are \$163.16.

**WHY SHE SHOT HIM**  
She had just returned from the barber shop, where she had exchanged her heavy tresses for a shingle.

"I simply could not stand the weight of all that hair on my head another day," she explained to her angry husband.

"I always thought your head was weak," was his only comment.

An Irishman being awakened suddenly in the night by a cry of fire hastily donned his trousers and leaped from a second-story window. He alighted safely on the ground, but stood looking down at his trousers, which in his excitement he had put on hindside before.

A fireman came up to him and said: "Did the fall hurt you, Pat?"

"No," said Pat. "Devil a bit did it hurt me, but it gave me a devil av a twist."

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## ROSECRANS

Mrs. J. A. Latham has been on the sick list for the past few days.

On Monday evening, Dec. 15, the Farm Bureau will show a five-reel picture at the Community house.

A large crowd attended our banquet last Saturday night and everyone enjoyed the good eats and program. A large representation was present from Gurnee and Millburn. Gurnee orchestra furnished the music.

A Christmas program will be given at the church on Tuesday evening, Dec. 23. There will be a Christmas

tree. Santa Claus has arranged to be there that evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Denman were callers in Waukegan Saturday.

Mr. Henry Olsen spent the week end in Chicago.

Leo Thompson is ill at home with the chicken pox.

Misses Floy Dixon and Frieda Knox attended the teachers' meeting at Libertyville Saturday.

Leroy Slocum and Wanton motorized to Dockford one day last week on business.

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## Public Service Stores



Useful Christmas gifts are appreciated most. Something electrical is always welcome.

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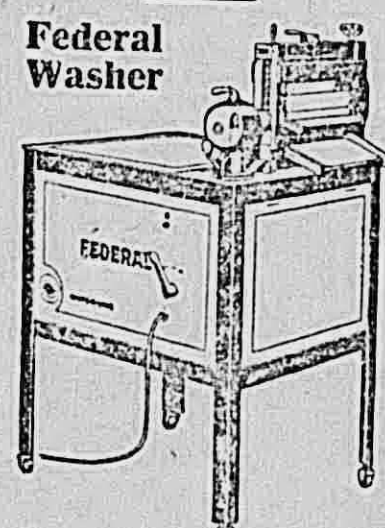
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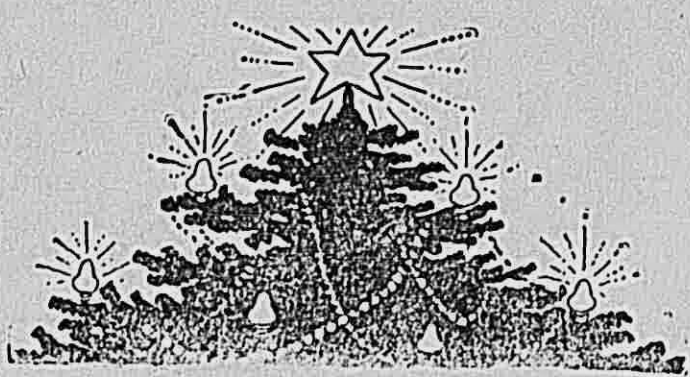
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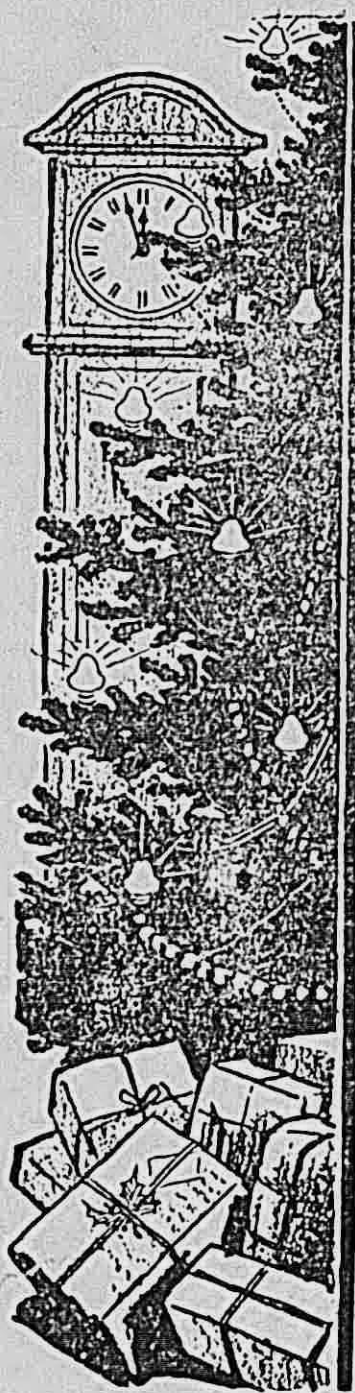




## The Gift House for the Entire Family

Women choosing gifts for men and men choosing gifts for women will find here a veritable storehouse of distinctive and unusual Christmas ideas.

The merchandise listed offers suggestions of the many fine things that have the added attraction of being most moderately priced.



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Ladies' beautiful silk hose in all the season's colors and black,  
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Silk and Wool hose; a very acceptable Christmas gift,  
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### UNDERWEAR

Ladies' Silk Underwear; many beautiful creations; a wonderful gift,  
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### SWEATERS

Brushed wool sweaters; all the season's styles and many beautiful patterns and colors to choose from,  
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### CAP AND SCARF SETS

All kinds of cap and scarf sets in all wool and separate scarfs, caps and sweaters for the entire family. Don't fail to see these if you wish to give a very acceptable gift at the right price.

### BATHROBES

Warm wool bathrobes for men, women and children  
\$2.00 up \$6.00

### GLOVES

Gloves of all kinds, from the kids to the furs, for every member of the family. Always a nice gift.

### BATHTOWEL SETS

A special lot of Bathtowel Sets and large bathtowels, always acceptable to a mother as a gift.

### DRESSES

A beautiful new lot of Xmas dresses; very reasonable in price  
\$2.00 and up

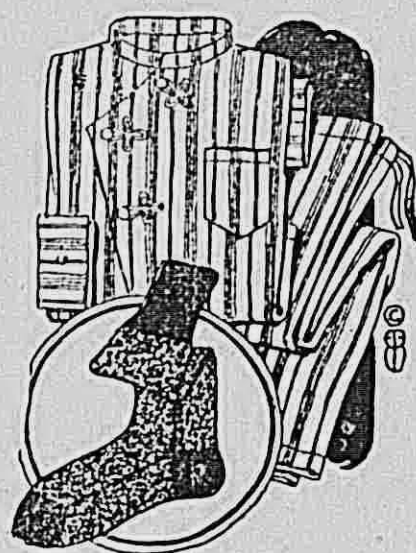
Something very good in  
BOX STATIONERY

**Hillebrand & Shultis**



Antioch has made every preparation to give the public in the surrounding community every advantage for choice and variety in Christmas Gifts. Believing that the call of the big cities is not so insistent as in former years, due to prices, many of the rural residents realize that the small town merchant gives the best values. Antioch with its large variety of stores and its resolve to keep the prices in line with the spirit of the occasion, seeks your patronage for your holiday gift buying. May we serve you. You will enjoy shopping in Antioch. Stores open every evening until Christmas.

## A Real Xmas Present For Men and Boys



### PAJAMAS

The newest and finest Pajamas; best materials.  
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### HOLEPROOF HOSIERY

Made of the finest glove silk; also new creations in silk and wool  
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### MEN'S BATHROBES

#### A Welcome Gift

A grand and glorious feeling to slip into a bathrobe on these cold mornings  
Priced at—  
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Beautiful Silk and Silk and Wool NECKWEAR  
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Just received the newest in Duo French Flannel Shirts. He will rejoice over them Xmas morn.  
Priced at \$2.25

What will make a more desirable, more useful, more sensible gift than a brand new pair of Shoes.

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A Suede Leather Coat, knit bottom; for work or dress; must be seen to be appreciated.  
Priced at \$12.50

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## Gifts for Men

Most everyone has his particular ceremony attendant upon Christmas. Ours is to assist you in the selection of gifts which will be most appreciated.

### Neckwear



A TIE becomes tiresome to its owner long before it shows signs of wear. It is the one most original and distinctive detail in a man's dress—the spot of color, the touch that "sets him off." The selection of a few choice scarfs from our neckwear cases will afford you quite as much pleasure as the man who is to receive them on Xmas morn'.  
50c to \$2.50

### Shirts

SHIRTS must be on every list of Christmas Gifts for men. No man ever had enough. Different occasions call for different kinds of shirts, and varying moods find expression in the particular one a man chooses among those in his dresser—From the plain conservative white to the swagger stripes and colors.



\$1.00 to \$8.00

### Mufflers



EVERY man who goes out in the cold should have plenty of mufflers. A new one with which to foil Jack Frost is always acceptable. We have them in plain or knitted silk, wool, Scotch flannel. Rich, soft, warm.

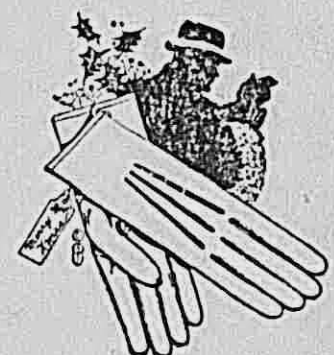
\$1.50 to \$4.00

If he is to exist in any degree of correct comfort, he must have flannel shirts, sweater or sweater-vest.

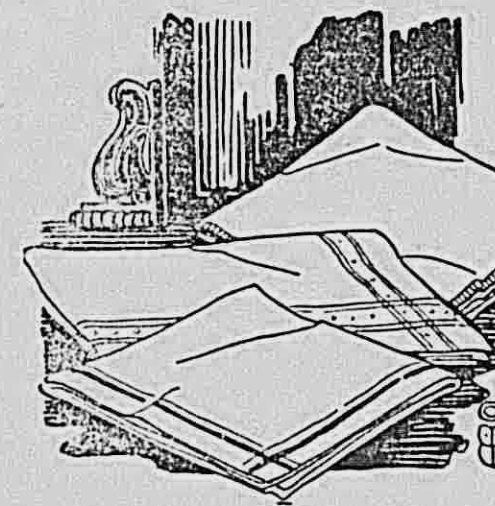
### AND Gloves

DON'T Forget Gloves! They will cheer his hands on Christmas morning. Capes, Mochas, Suedes, Silks. For business, driving or dress. Rabbit, fleece or silk lined. A conventional gift, never unappreciated.

\$1.50 to \$4.50



### Handkerchiefs



HE uses to which a handkerchief is put are legion. That's why a man who is particular about the niceties of his dress has to have so many. He must never be caught without a fresh one.

Send him a box. Fancy ones with a touch of color, or plain white ones, with or without his initials.

10c to \$1.00

OF COURSE the items illustrated are merely suggestive of the wide assortment to be found in our store, which is brim full of fascinating things for Christmas giving.

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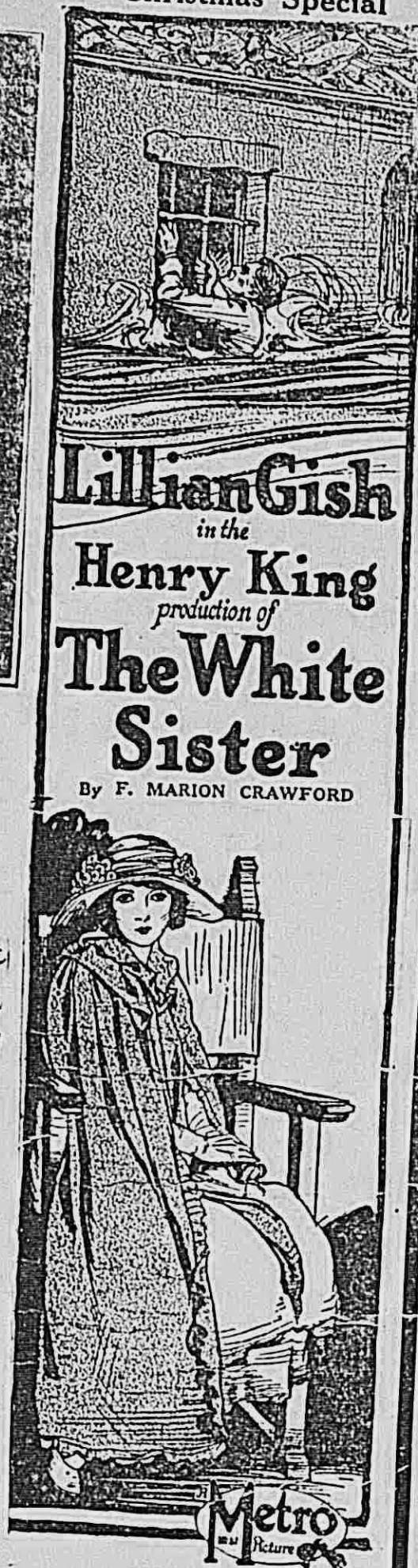
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This clean, sparkling comedy-drama will be sure to amuse you. See it. Ink Well comedy and News.



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Billiard and bowling offer relaxation in its finest form. A game or two of bowling will make you forget the cares of the day's work and will give you that much needed exercise. Billiards, a mild exercise and an excellent diversion, will help keep you physically and mentally fit. Played during the luncheon hour it will enable you to return to your work refreshed. Played in the evening its soothing influence promises you a good night's rest.

Have you joined the Antioch Bowling League? If not, hand in your name now.

Waukegan and Chicago Papers



The old days of impassable roads at this time of year do not prevail today. Every road is open to Antioch. Come and join us in the Christmas Spirit. Come and shop and mingle with your friends and neighbors, nothing will make your shopping more enjoyable. Stores open every night.

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## Reeves' Drug Store

- Candies
- Stationery
- Fountain Pens
- Hand Painted China
- Manicuring Sets
- Perfumery
- Ash Trays
- Kodaks
- Flashlights
- Lunch Kits
- Thermos Bottles
- Pocket Knives
- Cigars
- Cigarettes
- Cigar Holders
- Cigarette Holders
- Pipes
- Barrettes
- Bobbie Combs
- Bobbie Sets
- Harmonicas
- Bill Folds
- Moccassins
- Christmas Decorations and Cards

Where you can find the most beautiful display of articles appropriate for Christmas and holiday gifts at very low cost.

We have Whitman's, Johnson's, Morse's, and Lovell's and Covel's candies. Four of the choicest makes, in very attractive boxes, at prices ranging from 39c to \$7.00.

Other suitable articles in great variety, such as Beautiful Stationery, Fountain Pens and Ever-Sharp Pencils, Hand Painted China, Manicuring Sets, Perfumery from many of the best manufacturers, Ash Trays (several styles), Kodaks, Flashlights, Lunch Kits, Thermos Bottles, Pocket Knives, Cigars (many shapes and styles) in boxes of 10's, 25's and 50's. A large assortment of Pipes, Cigaret Holders and Cigaret Cases. Barrettes, Bobbie Combs and Bobbie Sets, etc.

**Peerless Electric Sewing Machines**  
Let us solve your question—What shall I buy my wife for Christmas? A nice electric Sewing Machine, and make it a pleasure to sew for the family. NOTHING COULD BE NICER. We are selling them at a great reduction. Buy it early and be sure of it.

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## ANTIOCH THEATRE

ANTIOCH'S LEADING PICTURE PALACE

## BIG HOLIDAY PROGRAM

Saturday, December 13

GLORIA SWANSON in

## 'Manhandled'

Gloria clowning and doing a screeching imitation of Charlie Chaplin; struggling in a subway jam, her every move a howl; posing as a Russian countess, gaspingly gowned and screamingly funny. Sensational? Boy!

Sunday, December 14

LEATRICE JOY in

## "Changing Husbands"

The story of a gay young wife who changed her old-fashioned model husband for a snappy sport "runabout." Laughs? Nothin' else but!

Wednesday, December 17

AGNES AYRES in

## 'Worldly Goods'

Human narrative of life as it is actually lived. Adapted from Sophie Kerr's Ladies Home Journal serial and novel. Directed by the man who made "Open All Night" Pat O'Malley, Victor Varconi in the supporting cast.

Thursday, December 18

MADGE KENNEDY in

## "Three Miles Out"

"It is a weird, swift-moving tale, written originally by Neysa McMein but put in continuity form by John Emerson and Anita Loos. It rushes along from one situation to another, and the spectator is swept with it. It is melodramatic farce, fast and furious."

Saturday, December 20

JACK HOLT in

## "EMPTY HANDS"

Sunday, December 21

An all star cast in

## "OPEN ALL NIGHT"

Monday, December 22

DOUGLAS MacLEAN in

## "THE YANKEE CONSUL"

Wednesday, December 24

James Oliver Curwood's

## "THE ALASKAN"

Featuring THOMAS MEIGHAN

Thursday, December 25

JACK HOLT and DOROTHY DALTON in

## "THE LONE WOLF"





## TREVOR

erton and family in Kenosha Saturday.

Mrs. Florence Westlake called on Miss Patrick Friday.

Mrs. William Manske and daughter Alice of Bristol were callers here on Friday.

L. H. Mickie transacted business in Chicago Wednesday.

Ruben Turnock and son John were Chicago visitors Tuesday.

Miss Lucille Evans of Kenosha spent over the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Evans.

Earl Barnstable of Chetek spent from Wednesday till Friday with his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Longman.

Mr. and Mrs. Julius Lingen spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Murry in Burlington.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Ogden of Barrington, Ill., called on his aunt, Mrs. Ed Filson last week.

Mrs. Tewes of Waukegan visited the Fleming home last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lubeno entertained their daughter Mrs. Charles Wyman and husband of Chicago and Mrs. Charles Barber and daughter Ruth of Silverlake Sunday.

Mrs. Longman and Mrs. Lubeno autoed to Kenosha with Mrs. Mickie and Helord Friday.

Mrs. George Patrick will entertain the Fancy Work club on Thursday afternoon.

At the card party held at Social Center hall Saturday evening the prizes were won by: Clinch—Ladies, Arthur Bushing, (who took ladies place), and Mary Sheen. Boys—Jos. Smith; Edward Hirschmiller. Bunco:—Ladies, Mrs. Arthur Bushing, Mrs. Gerl, boys, William Peterson and Albert Mizzen.

Charles Hazelman Sr., of Silverlake visited his son Charles and wife on Monday.

Miss Mary Fleming and nephew Lawrence Fleming visited Saturday with Mrs. Elkerton in Kenosha.

Mr. and Mrs. Lorin Mickie attended a meeting of the Eastern Star at Antioch Friday night.

Lawrence Fleming of Milwaukee spent over the week end at the Fleming home.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Smith spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Runyard near Channel lake.

Mrs. Helnze and daughter of Chicago visited Miss Mary Fleming one day last week.

The Misses Ethel and Lucile Runyard of Chicago spent Sunday at the L. H. Mickie home.

Mrs. Daniel Longman visited her father Mr. John Drury in Antioch on Monday.

Mrs. Fred Shreck visited her mother Mrs. Oswald at Forest Park Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Anderson of

Racine, Mr. and Mrs. John Geyer of Trevor attended the birthday anniversary reception of Mr. Henry Haley at his home in Chicago. Among the beautiful gifts received by Mr. Haley was a radio from his wife. A very nice dinner was served after which the guests went to Mary Gardens for the evening.

## Bristol News

The Help-U-Club met Friday afternoon at the Steen home.

Fred Murdock and family of Kenosha visited relatives here Sunday.

The Missionary society met Wednesday at the home of Mrs. Minnie Dixon.

Rev. Steen has a new Nash car.

Mr. and Mrs. Burroughs of Wilmet visited at the Willette home on Wednesday.

The Heartel family of Franksville were visitors at the Pike home Sunday.

Miss Mary Norris of Union Grove was a visitor of Dorothy DeVuyst on Thursday night.

Miss Exa LaMeer accompanied Mr. and Mrs. James Dixon of Union Grove to Ft. Pierce, Florida last Tuesday where they will spend the winter.

Several Bristolites attended the Masonic services held at the Hansen Funeral home for William Perrigo on last Monday in Kenosha.

## FIVE BACHELORS IN "DADDIES"

"Daddies," the screen adaptation of John L. Hobble's play which is announced for a run at the Crystal theatre Sunday is a comedy drama full of laughs and tears. The story tells of the experience of four bachelors who adopt babies as a means of paying their debt to their country. The myriad complications that arises from the four adoptions, one of which involves the assuming of the responsibility of triplets by a cynical bachelor, who had heretofore enjoyed a life of ease and selfish indulgence, is found in John Hobble's appealing story of "Daddies." It is full of color, comedy and drama. This is a photograph that appeals to all ages and all classes.

Mae Marsh has the starring part, and she is supported by the following players: Harry Myers, Claude Gillingwater, Claire Adams, Willard Louis, Crawford Kent, Georgia Woodthorpe, Otto Hoffman, Boyce Combe, Millie Davenport, Mauriel Frances Dana, Priscilla Dean Moran, the DeBriac Twins and King Evers.

## IN THE FINAL ANALYSIS

"What do you regard as the most important question in this campaign?"

"The questions narrow down," replied Senator Sorghum, "to one compact and precise—yet elusive—problem: 'How many people are going to vote the way we tell 'em to?'"

## Lake Villa News

Mrs. Boehm spent a few days in Chicago last week.

Mrs. P. R. Avery was a Grayslake caller Thursday.

Mrs. Chas. Madison entertained the Bunco "500" club Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Baldwin received first prize, Mrs. B. J. Gallger, second and Mrs. Andrew Jensen the consolation prize. Everyone enjoyed the afternoon.

Mrs. Carl Reinbach and little daughter Betty Jane visited relatives in Chicago Thursday.

Miss Rose Koppen and Mr. Paul Reimer motored to Chicago Thursday.

Mrs. Sid Barnstable is sick list with a severe cold.

Mr. A. J. Simpson of Cedar Crest Farms attended the Stock Show at Chicago last week.

Mrs. Chas. Madison attended the Fat Stock show at Chicago Tuesday.

Miss Rose Koppen, Mrs. E. Hall and little daughters, Mr. Gus Koppen and Paul Reimer motored to Chicago Sunday and spent the day at the Benjie Koppen home.

Tom Brompton motored to North Chicago Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. John Meyers are entertaining relatives from Ohio.

Mrs. Chas. Madison and Mrs. Cannon were Waukegan shoppers Friday.

H. Stratton and family were Waukegan shoppers Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Hook were in Waukegan calling Friday.

Mrs. Sid Dibble and Mrs. John Stratton visited Mrs. Anna Mitchell at Long Lake Sunday afternoon.

Tom Wilkinson and family have returned from the Stock Show at Chicago where little Bessie carried off

all the big prizes with her ponies.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Reinbach motored to Chicago Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Nadr entertained twenty friends at a wild duck dinner Sunday evening.

Mrs. J. A. Pederson of Atwell's subdivision spent a few days in Chicago last week.

Mrs. E. J. Murrie is getting over her severe cold and is able to be back in the store again.

Mr. Potter is suffering with a very sore wrist and hand. He has a boil on the wrist bone and it is causing him considerable pain.

Little Eileen Phillippi is feeling much better now.

Friday afternoon the chimney at the school house caught fire and caused quite a little excitement for a few moments. The children all left the building through the fire chute.

Mr. McFarland, the janitor put the fire out with a few buckets of water.

A Word of Thanks From Allendale

The members of the Faculty, and the boys of Allendale farm, are very grateful to our friends from Lake Villa for their volunteer work at our recent fire, and particularly to the members of Fire companies of Antioch and Fox Lake who responded so promptly to our call for help. It was owing to the efficient work of these volunteer firemen, and to our friends from the village, that our new building, the furnishings of the destroyed

cottage were saved. We sincerely thank each one of you for your efforts, and for the unselfish sacrifice of your time.

Edward L. Bradley,  
Director.

## WET COURT

Jack Smith, 982 Columbia avenue, was arrested Thursday afternoon and will face a charge of selling beer in Police Court this morning. Two other men were arrested by the same officers on Thursday and charged with the same offense.

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Our supply of Christmas Greeting Cards this year are more beautiful than ever and the prices are lower than in previous years. But, as the supply is limited, it will be necessary to place your order early.

You may order as few as you wish or as many as you wish—the styles may be assorted or all of one kind—with your season's greetings and name beautifully designed to make them most attractive.

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## THE ANTIOCH PRESS

Publishers of The Antioch News

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ANTIOCH, ILL.

Attorney Ever... of Chicago to represent him... his plea of guilty, therefore, came as a surprise.

Suit for divorce has been brought in Circuit court by Mrs. Fannie A. Waters of Grayslake through Attorney E. V. Orvis against Louis D. Waters. The woman charges that her husband had had relations with an Eva Rako of Elgin on Sept. 21. She made also claims he is an habitual drunkard.

The last report from County League states... ing Essay... December 2nd, the Ford Motor Company announces... low prices on all Ford cars. A reduction of twenty-five dollars on the Fordor Sedan and lower prices on all other types make Ford cars even greater values than ever before.

## NEW PRICES

Runabout . . . . .	\$260
Touring Car . . . . .	290
Coupe . . . . .	320
Tudor Sedan . . . . .	580
Fordor Sedan . . . . .	660
Chassis . . . . .	225
Truck Chassis . . . . .	365

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These are the lowest prices ever offered in the history of the Ford Motor Company. They create a new standard of value for motor car transportation.

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## Locals

Mrs. Bertha James Carroll of Chicago spent the latter part of last week at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. James.

Dr. and Mrs. G. W. Jensen and daughter spent several days the past week in Chicago. Mrs. Jensen and daughter visited relatives while the Dr. was in attendance at the Venturian convention in the city.

Mrs. H. C. Cropley, Mrs. Barthel, and daughter and Mrs. Larsen all of Kenosha motored out on Thursday to attend the Ladies Aid bazaar and supper at the Methodist church.

Miss Edna Peterson of Chicago was a week-end guest at the home of Mrs. M. Spangard and family.

Mrs. Myrtle Chinn and little daughter, who are spending the winter with relatives in Chicago visited several days recently with relatives here.

Miss Ella Ames returned home on Sunday from her visit with relatives at Crystal Falls, Mich., and on her return trip home she visited relatives in Waukegan.

The bazaar and supper held at the Methodist church basement on last Thursday evening was a decided success both financially and socially.

Mrs. D. A. Williams and Miss Ruth Williams have returned home after a visit with relatives in Chicago.

Miss Catherine Schroeder of Chicago visited at the home of Mrs. D. A. Williams the latter part of last week.

Mrs. C. L. Kuffl was a Chicago passenger on Saturday.

J. W. McGee visited in Chicago over Sunday.

Mrs. D. B. Sabin is quite sick at her home on Victoria street.

Walter Chinn was very sick the latter part of last week. He was suffering with ptomaine poisoning from eating canned peaches.

The Ladies Guild will hold their annual Christmas sale and supper on Saturday, Dec. 13 in the Woodman hall. Supper from 4:30 to 7:00.

**MENU**  
Baked Ham Scalloped Potatoes  
Cold Slaw Peas Carrots  
Apple pie Pumpkin Pie  
Rolls Coffee  
Cafeteria or 50 cents per plate.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Horton of Waukegan visited Sunday at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Panowski.

D. L. McTaggart accompanied his eighth grade pupils to Chicago on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wood and son Calvin visited relatives in Evanston over Sunday.

John Sibley who has been quite sick with pneumonia is at present on the gain.

Mr. W. F. Lasco motored to Genoa and Burlington Saturday.

Mrs. Emily Wise called at the Fred Paasch home Sunday.

Miss Lottie Jones was a Waukegan visitor on Monday.

William Keulman was a Chicago business visitor on Tuesday.

Charles Ingalls and wife of Waukegan were in attendance at the funeral of their cousin, Miss Sarah Ingalls, Saturday.

Thomas Mooney of Chicago was an Antioch visitor over Sunday.

Miss Edna Drom and Dwight Drom motored to Manitowoc, Wis., recently to visit relatives.

James H. McVey, who has been very sick in a hospital in Waukegan, is reported to be on the gain.

Miss Myrtle Haynes of Chicago came home on Saturday for two weeks vacation at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Haynes.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Griffin are rejoicing over the arrival of another son, born on December 7, 1924.

Mrs. Andrew Harrison is assisting at the Webb Racket Store during the Christmas shopping rush.

James Caple was a Chicago passenger Thursday.

Mrs. Sherman Ferris is assisting at Williams Bros. store during the Christmas rush.

Several Royal Arch Masons motored to Kenosha Tuesday evening to attend a meeting of the chapter of Royal Arch Masons. They report a very good time.

**NOTICE**  
I have several articles suitable for Christmas gifts or for the home. Call between the 10th and 15th. Mrs. S. Wells, Monaville. 15w1

**NOTICE**—Rag rug and carpet weaving. Orders over four years, 25c a yard. Under four years 30c a yard. Work neatly and quickly done. Mrs. E. Monnier, North Antioch. 15w1

At the regular meeting of the Royal Neighbors, the officers for the ensuing year were elected as follows: Mrs. Vezens oracle, Mrs. Kate Dibble vice oracle, Mrs. Keulman recorder, Mrs. Nellie Haynes receiver, Mrs. Vida Mooney chancellor, Mrs. Hoffman marshal, Mrs. Norman inside sentinel, Mrs. Simonson outside sentinel Mrs. Filson and Mrs. Larson managers, Dr. Williams physician. The meeting closed with a very fine lunch.

George Palmer of Chicago visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Palmer on Saturday of last week.

Mrs. Andrew Harrison and Miss Beulah were Chicago passengers on Saturday.

Mrs. C. A. Clark, Mrs. Andrew Harrison and daughter were dinner guests with relatives at Grayslake on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Palmer of Evanston came out on Saturday and spent over Sunday at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Palmer.

Saturday evening, Nov. 29, about thirty neighbors, friends and relatives gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Palmer to help Mr. Palmer celebrate his birthday. The evening was spent with games and social converse. About eleven o'clock a dainty lunch was served after which all returned to their respective homes wishing Mr. Palmer many more happy birthdays.

Mrs. Sophie Martin returned from Chicago where she has been visiting for the past two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Middelstadt and Mrs. Minnie Duffy motored out from Chicago bringing Mrs. Sophie Martin with them and spent a short time at the Jos. Horton home.

Mr. and Mrs. Charley Shepard and son of Oak Park motored Saturday and spent Sunday at the home of their mother, Mrs. Paul Shepard.

Miss Elizabeth Webb was a Chicago business visitor on Monday of this week.

Ralph James of Rockford spent last Sunday at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. James.

Dr. Hullett of Union Grove was an Antioch visitor Friday.

Mr. Emil Krobtz of Chicago came out Sunday and spent the day with his daughter, Miss Mildred at their cottage.

L. A. VanDeusen returned home on Tuesday for a visit at the home of his family here.

Mr. Pries visited relatives in Chicago last week.

**CARD OF THANKS**  
We wish to express our sincere thanks to those who helped in any way during our recent bereavement, especially those who furnished flowers and the singers.  
Mrs. Alice Haynes  
Mr. and Mrs. Carrie Norman and Family.

The Ladies Aid of the M. E. church wish to thank all those who helped in any way to make their bazaar and dinner a success.  
adv Mrs. Will Williams.

Will Hook of Gurnee was an Antioch visitor Monday.

Oliver Johnson was in Chicago on Monday.

S. M. Walence was a Chicago business visitor on Monday.

Rev. Jos. Savage of Chicago visited the first of the week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Savage.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Skiff returned home the first of the week from a trip to Iowa. They accompanied Mrs. Skiff's mother home and visited relatives there several weeks.

Mrs. Walter Chinn was a Chicago passenger Monday.

Arthur Verrier of Chicago spent over Sunday at his home here.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Woods and Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Carnes of Pittsfield, Ill., spent Thursday night and Friday with Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Lux.

Mr. Wm. H. Dunham of Pittsfield, Illinois, spent last week with his daughter Mrs. C. N. Lux.

Mr. John E. Didama is spending the winter with his daughter, Mrs. J. W. Hancock at Superior, Wis.

**CARD OF THANKS**  
We wish to extend our sincere thanks to our neighbors and friends who so kindly assisted us in the sickness and death of our mother.  
The Barnstable Family.

**NOTICE**  
As I have recently become a member of The Home Occupation Syndicate of the State of Illinois, I wish to announce that my Exchange will be permanently opened after Saturday, Dec. 13. Fancy work suitable for Christmas gifts will be on sale at the home of Mrs. Ziegler.  
adv Mrs. Emma Bartlett.

**Cream Separators**  
**Washing Machines**  
Engine power or electric  
**Low Wood Wheel Farm Wagons**  
**Milk Wagons**  
**Manure Spreaders**  
International, New Idea or Gehl.  
**Bob Sleighs**  
**Furnaces**  
Pipe and Pipeless  
Call and see me  
**C. F. RICHARDS**

## CRYSTAL THEATRE

Friday, December 12

MARIE PREVOST in

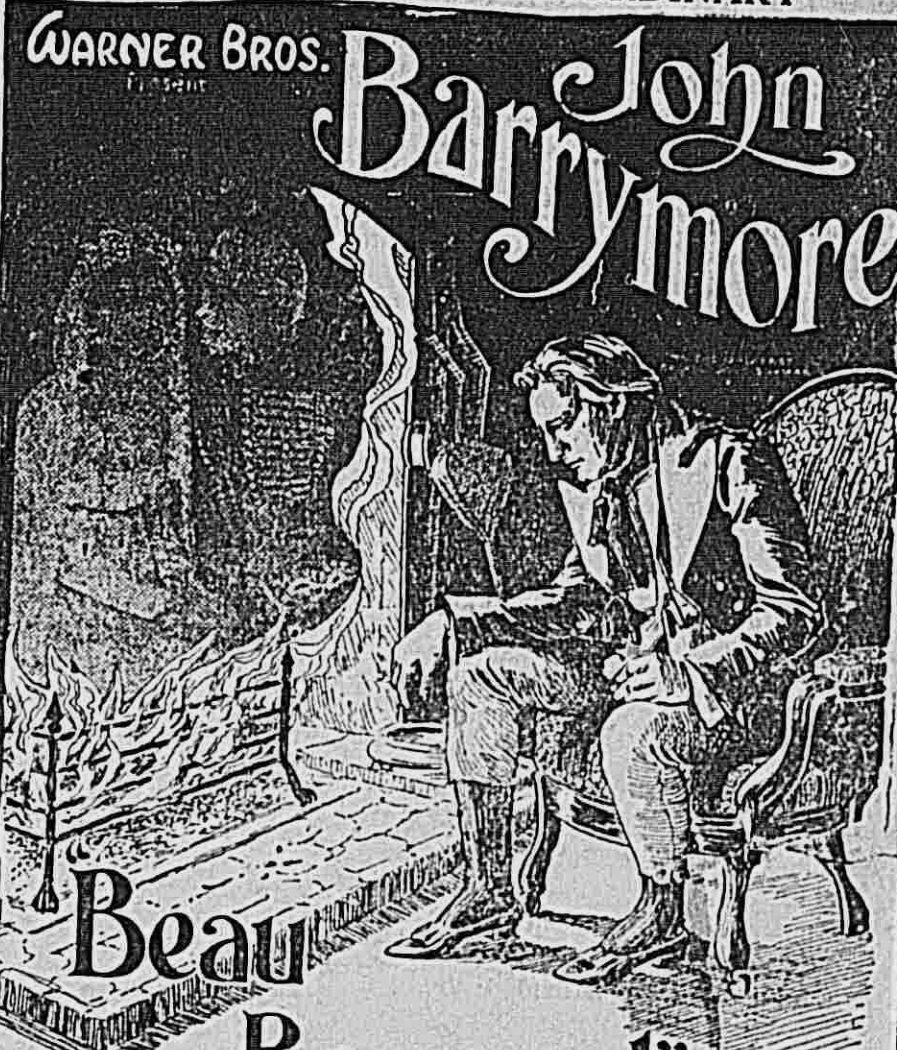
"THE WANTERS"

"I've given you everything you've ever wanted, clothes, jewels, social position, but still you're unhappy."

Adm. 15-30

Saturday, December 13

THE PICTURE EXTRAORDINARY



WARNER BROS. **John Barrymore**

**Beau Brummel** with MARY ASTOR, CARMEL MYERS, IRENE RICH, WILLARD LOUIS, ALEC FRANCIS, RICHARD TUCKER  
Comedy—Andy Gump's Stump Speech.

Adm. 15-35

1 DAY ONLY—Sunday, Dec. 14—1 DAY ONLY  
MAE MARSH and HARRY MEYERS in  
"DADDIES"

Wednesday, December 17

"LEAVE IT TO GERRY"

Featuring BILLIE RHODES

What would you do if your own mother were sent to the poor house while you were away from home? If, single-handed you had to outwit a group of unscrupulous thieves?—Comedy and News.

Friday, December 19—"Success."  
Sat. Dec. 20—Tom Mix in "Eyes of Sunday, Dec. 21—"The Signal Tower"  
Thursday, Dec. 25—Christmas Sp. Gish in "THE WHITE SISTER."

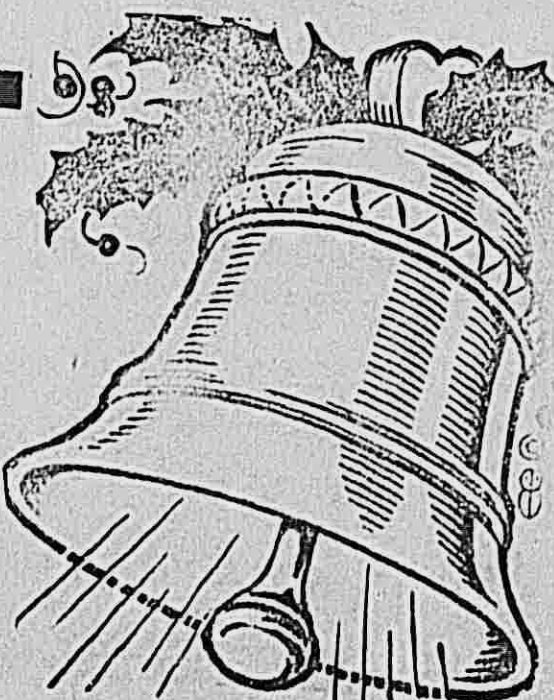
## GREETINGS!

Imbued with the Christmas Spirit and desirous of spreading cheer at every opportunity, the officers of this Bank sincerely wish each and every man, woman and child in Antioch

**Very Merry Christmas**

May a supreme Happiness abound in every home and this Yuletide be a never-to-be-forgotten event. And may next Christmas find us enjoying the same pleasant relationship with our patrons that we enjoy now.

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By this plan you deposit a specified amount each week for 50 weeks, and at the end of that time (for Christmas 1925) you have money for Christmas and a nice sum left over for personal needs.

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1 cent Club	Deposit 1 cent 1st week, 2c 2nd week, increase 1c each week...	\$ 12.75
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5 cent Club	Deposit 5c 1st week, 10c 2nd week, increase 5c each week...	63.75
10 cent Club	Deposit 10c 1st week, 20c 2nd week, increase 10c each week...	127.50

### Even Amount Club Plan

IN 50 WEEKS YOU HAVE

25 cent Club	Deposit 25c each week	\$ 12.50
50 cent Club	Deposit 50c each week	25.00
\$ 1.00 Club	Deposit \$1.00 each week	50.00
2.00 Club	Deposit \$2.00 each week	100.00

To our many customers and friends, we extend the Season's Greetings, with hearty wishes for a Merry Christmas and Prosperous New Year.

**State Bank of Antioch**  
ANTIOCH, ILL.

## The Lighthouse Gift Shop

Bread Boards	\$2.25 to 4.00
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Door Knockers	2.00
Decorated Candles, per pair	70c to 1.50

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